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Copenhagen, August 6, N. S.

THEIR Danish Majesties return'd to Fridericksberg the 2d Instant, and having since viewed the Cargo of the China Ship that lately arrived, are this Morning to be present at the Launching of a new built Ship of 60 Guns. On Monday the 8th they go back again to Fridericksberg, where the Anniversary of their Marriage the 7th falling out on Sunday, is then to be celebrated.

Berlin, Aug. 9. On Thursday last M. Thulemeyer, one of his Prussian Majesty's Ministers of State, was found Dead in his Bed; and Marshal Bock, another of his said Majesty's Ministers is past all hopes of Recovery. General Zullick, and M. Adelipfen, Ministers from his Swedish Majesty, the one as King, the other as Landgrave of Hesse, who have been here this Week past, set out this Morning for Rupin, from whence they are to go To morrow to Reinsberg, in order to have their first Audiences of his Prussian Majesty. Lieutenant General Count Schullenburg has asked and obtained his Dismission from his Prussian Majesty's Service. The Regiment which he commanded, consisting of ten Squadrons, his Majesty has divided into two Regiments, each of five Squadrons, the Command of one he has conferred on M. Pozatowsky, Colonel of Katt's Regiment, and the other on M. Schlichting, Colonel of the Margrave of Bareuth's Regiment. L'Abbe Langlois arrived here a few Days ago from King Stanislaus, and went this Morning to Reinsberg; as did also Count Terringe from the Elector of Bavaria.

Dresden, Aug. 10, N. S. Their Polish Majesties are gone to Moritzburg, where they intend to pass the rest of this Month. Count Wratislaw, the Emperor's Ambassador, has Leave to take this Opportunity to go to his own Estate in Bohemia; and M. Keyserling the Czarina's Minister, to visit the Courts of Saxe Meinungen and Gotha. His Polish Majesty has been pleased to grant to Count Rutowski all the Employments possessed by the late General Friesen, and to make him likewise Master of the Ordnance, and the Chevalier de Saxe succeeds him in the Command of the Horse-Guards, and is made Lieutenant-General on this Occasion.

Hanover, Aug. 13, N. S. On Wednesday the 10th Instant Count Ostein, whom the Emperor has appointed his Minister Plenipotentiary to the Court of Great Britain, in the Room of M. Wafner who is recalled, arrived here, and this Day had his Audience of his Majesty at Herenhausen. On Thursday there was a Ball at Herenhausen, and the Court was very numerous and splendid upon that Occasion; it was opened about Six in the Evening by her Royal Highness the Princess

of Hesse, and his most Serene Highness Prince Frederick, her Highness's Consort. About Ten the Company retir'd to Supper; after which the Ball was continued, and lasted till past Two of the Clock the next Morning.

Admiralty Office, August 1, 1740.

His Majesty having been graciously pleased, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to establish certain Rules and Orders for the better Government of the Charity for the Relief of poor Widows of Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: These are to give Notice to all such Widows whose Husbands died on or since the 30th of August 1732, that Copies of the said Rules and Orders are lodg'd with the Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy at Chatham, Portsmouth, and Plymouth; as also with the Clerks of the Cheque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerness; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinsale; where they may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpose. But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Thomas Corbett, Esq; at the Admiralty Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute to the Widows of such Sea Officers who died before the 30th of August 1732, and whose Circumstances come within the Rules of the Establishment, their Share of the Bounty granted by Parliament; these are to give Notice of the same to all such Widows, that they may procure the proper Certificates and Affidavits, and send or bring them hither. And the Court of Assistants do hereby give Notice, that they will meet at this Office on Tuesday the 16th of September next, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning, to receive the Claims of such Widows as shall be qualified according to the said Rules and Orders.

General Post-Office, April 2, 1740.

Whereas the Post Boy carrying the Bristol Mail from London to Hounslow, was attacked and set upon between Three and Four a Clock this Morning, a little beyond Knightsbridge, by a single Person on Foot, of a dark Complexion, and a middle Stature, having on a light-colour'd Horseman's Coat with the Cape button'd up, who led him into an adjacent Field, and there took from him the Bath and Bristol Bags, put them into a Green Bag, and rode off with them towards London on the Horse that carried the said Mail.

The Postmaster General thinks proper to advertise the Publick, that whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Person, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make a Discovery whereby the Person who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the same Reward, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General.

J. D. Barbutt, Secretary.

General Post-Office, London, June 16, 1740.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the North Mail from Royston to Ware, was attacked in the Highway, between One and Two of the Clock last Friday Morning, the 13th Instant, on the North Side of Hamill's Park, belonging to Ralph Freeman, Esq; about three Miles beyond

